



From the office of:

Fourteenth District, Michigan

Congressman John Conyers, Jr.

Chairman, House Committee on Judiciary
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2010 Congressional Arts Competition Guidelines

- The competition is open to only high school students in Michigan's 14th Congressional District
 - To look up your United States Representative, you may visit www.house.gov and enter your zip code.
- Each piece can be no larger than 28"x28"x 4" (28 inches high, 28 inches wide, and 4 inches deep) including the frame. Artwork cannot weigh more than 15 lbs.
- Artwork will hang in the Capitol for the entire year of the exhibition and cannot be returned to the students earlier. Students should, therefore, submit artwork they will not need for other purposes.
- Each entry must be original in concept, design, and execution and may not violate any U.S. copyright laws.
- Artwork accepted mediums are as follows:
 - Paintings: oil, acrylics, watercolor, etc.
 - Drawings: pastels, colored pencil, pencil, charcoal, ink, markers
 - Collage: must be two dimensional
 - Prints: lithographs, silkscreen, block prints
 - Mixed Media: use of more than two mediums such as pencil, ink, watercolor, etc.
 - Computer-generated art
 - Photography
- All applications must arrive in the Detroit or Trenton office by Monday, May 10, 2010